

Bring Each Week

- Your Bible
- Small Catechism
- Pen or pencil
- Your body, soul & mind

**WNW – Student**

Workshop #1
September 30, 2020
“The Bible”

Bible Memory Verse: “The grass withers, the flower fades; but the word of our God will stand forever.” Isaiah 40:8

CHECK-IN

1. Go over the confirmation expectations with the group.
2. Hand out a copy of the sermon map to each person. Go over the following:
 - a. Explain how to fill one out.
 - b. Let them know that blank sermon map forms will be in the Gathering Area each Sunday and Wednesday.
 - c. They must complete 15 sermon maps
 - d. They must not take the sermon maps home; it is too easy to lose them or forget to bring them back. Fill out the forms during worship and when they leave, place the completed form in the green mailbox in the Gathering Area.

SCRATCH THE SURFACE

1. Why is the Bible important?
2. What kind of things are in the Bible?

Dig Deeper

1. How many books are in the bible and how many people wrote it?
2. Why do you think there are so many books in the bible?
3. How does God speak to us through the Bible if so many people were involved in writing it?
4. Why is the Bible important to Christians?

Bible Story OF THE WEEK Mark 14:32-42 Jesus Prays in Gethsemane

1. Jesus has told the disciples that he will be betrayed, killed, and rise again. Now Jesus goes to pray. What does Jesus pray for?
2. How does Jesus end his prayer?
3. How might our listening in on this prayer of Jesus' help us think about how God's name is hallowed in prayer?

Bible Story OF THE WEEK Various Scripture about Scripture

1. We are going to practice finding verses in the Bible. When looking up scripture...
 - a. Find the book of the bible. Is it Old Testament (OT) or New Testament (NT)? You can use your table of contents to help you.
 - b. Find the chapter.
 - c. Within the chapter, find the verse

John 3:16

Ephesians 2:8-9

Genesis 1:31

Psalms 119:105

Hebrews 4:12

Jeremiah 15:16

2 Timothy 3:16-17

2. In your own words, what does 2 Timothy 3:16-17 tell us about scripture?

TAKING IT HOME/TAKING IT TO GOD

1. How might you explore the Bible and what is in it this next week?
2. Talk about ways you might be able to pray for one another this week and then use those requests in a closing prayer.

BACK TO THE FRONT: SENDING OUT

With your group, gather around the Baptismal Font and say to each other: *"You belong to Christ. We belong to each other."*